

### Mars Hill Bested by Milligan in Nocturnal Clash, Plemmons Stars

18 to 0

Saturday, October 6, dawned upon an ill-tempered horde of Mountain Lions caged up in the murky foothills of Eastern Tennessee—the special pets of our own coach Roberts—waiting with much impatience for the beginning of their battle royal with the infuriated Buffaloes at Milligan. At the end of the game, with the score 18 to 0 against them they were still eager for battle, but hardly so confident and full of enthusiasm.

Although they were beten by a fairly decisive margin the Hill Billies presented the Milligan aggregation with some exceedingly tough viands for mastication.

In the third quarter Mars Hill threw a scare into the Tennessee breastworks when they started a series of line plays that carried the ball to the Bisons' four-yard line. They failed, however, to cross the intervening space in four attempts and lost the ball.

The game throughout was simply a repetition of the old adage too much Milligan. The local eleven scored in every quarter but the second. Campbell and Springfield were the stars for Tennessee.

Mars Hill kept them fighting all the way, but they were total strangers tonight playing; and this coupled with the intense fog spelled defeat for the old Blue and Gold.

Plemmons was the highlight in the Lions' attack. He was continually side-stepping his opponents with the ball, a feat that caused no little confusion in the enemy camp.

The Johnson City Chronicle has this to say about Plemmons:

"In Plemmons, playing quarter, Mars Hill had a man that was a continual threat. He was in every play, and kept the Buffaloes on their toes throughout the game. This youngster has all the markings of a great football man."

The whole team played like demons, and they deserved to win, but "hard luck" stories have no place in football. Line-up:

M.H.C.	Position	Milligan
J. Albritton	L.E.	Taylor
Childs	L.T.	Jackson
Buckner	L.G.	Travis
Perrin	C.	Byrd
Willis	R.G.	Casey
Wright	R.T.	Bowman
A. Albritton	R.E.	Springfield
Plemmons	Q.B.	Dennis
Anderson	L.H.	Campbell
Bruce	R.H.	Irwin
Rumfeldt	F.B.	Owens

Referee: Jackson (Emory and Henry).  
 Umpire: Preas (Georgia Tech).  
 Head Linesman: Arrant (Tennessee).  
 Field Judge: Boswell (Milligan).

Score by quaters:

M.H.C.	0 0 0 0 - 0
Milligan	6 0 6 6 - 18

### Mars Hill Club Elects Officers at Wake Forest

Much Interest Shown at First Meeting of Year.

On the night of October 2 the Mars Hill students of Wake Forest College met for the purpose of electing officers for the coming year. The meeting was called to order by Mr. R. K. Benfield, former vice-president, who after a brief word of introduction opened the house for nominations for president. Mr. Benfield was nominated and Mr. Raymond Long acting as chairman declared the candidate "automatically elected by acclamation." Mrs. Nelson, a popular and able co-ed, was elected to the office of vice-president. Mr. Wade E. Brown was elected secretary. Then came a bitter struggle between Mr. E. L. Bradley and Mrs. Charles Maddry for the office of treasurer. Mr. Maddry came out victorious.

The meeting seemed to call back memories of those dear old days spent at Mars Hill. All those present expected that a great gain as well as were very enthusiastic, and it is ex-much pleasure will be derived from the club work this year. A brief discussion was made of the social functions to be participated in with the Mars Hill Club of Meredith College.

### Mars Hill Downs Catawba in Opener 12 to 0 Victory in Extremes of Game

Standing at the crossroads between uncertainty and assurance, sandwiched between the forces of hope and fear, on Saturday, September 29, Coach Roberts led forward his rampant Lions to do battle with the blood-thirsty Indians from Catawba College; and before the referee's whistle had signaled a cessation of hostilities in the final quarter these unruly namesakes of the king of beasts had twice crossed the goal line of the opposition to register a shut-out victory to the tune of 12 to 0.

Staging an uphill fight from start to finish, these royal fighters stamped and roared through the sunshine and shadows of the long afternoon, while they shattered the ranks of their red-skin neighbors for the second time in as many years.

The fact that the locals were outweighed, cut no ice whatever in the matter of winning or losing. The visitors entered the contest as though such were the case, but they soon realized that they were not dealing with a bunch of weak-kneed pale-faces who were fading away at their approach like chaff before a strong north wind. Instead they found themselves face to face with an irresistible force that swept every obstacle from its path like an explosion of dynamite in the midst of a great forest.

Plemmons, plucky little quarterback of the home forces, fumbled the opposing kickoff and hostilities began with a rush, Catawba regaining the ball. Our redskin brothers started the fireworks in excellent fashion by completing three first-downs in succession, but by that time the Mars Hill contingent had begun to see red. Before the nonplussed warriors from Salisbury could gain an unobstructed view of the situation, Andy Albritton recovered a Catawba fumble from the boot of Miller and dashed across the goal line for a touchdown. The run was estimated at about 30 yards. From that time until the end of the game the outcome was never in doubt.

The second quarter saw Catawba making a valiant effort to even the score, and an equally valiant effort on the part of Mars Hill to prevent them.

Back and forth, hither and yon, weaving in and out, plunging and bucking with the fierceness of its attack, the visiting eleven fought like grim death, but all in vain. At times they seemed to be making progress by means of firstdowns, but always at the critical moment the local defense tightened and held them for downs. It was during this quarter that "Rabbit" Wright, an old standby, gave the fans somewhat to chuckle over by his thrilling tackle on Miller in mid-field. The half ended with Mars Hill in possession of the ball on Catawba's forty-yard line.

In the third quarter with the ball in hostile territory, Furches passed to Anderson, who made a spectacular run around right-end for twenty yards. The latter was the main cog in the Lions' offensive, and the most consistent ground-gainer of the day.

The final quarter was a series of line-bucks and passes in which the ball changed hands not infrequently. Time after time each side made efforts to punt out of danger, only to have the pigskin sail clear of waiting arms. And then came the glittering climax to a wild and hectic game: Harry Rumfeldt received a pass on the thirty-yard line, and completely ignoring the futile protests of a horde of blood-thirsty Indians at his heels, carried the gleaming oval back to the white line.

The line-up and summary of the teams follow:

Mars Hill	Catawba
J. Albritton	L.E. Rhyn
Childs	L.T. Smtih
Buckner	L.G. Boon
Perrin	C. Whitner
Willis	R.G. Sumerset
Wright	R.T. Frazier
A. Albritton	R.E. Gabriel
Furches	L.H. Miller
Anderson	R.H. Fesperman
Plemmons	Q.B. Kisler
Rumfeldt	F.B. Aycock

Summary:

Scoring touchdowns: A. Albritton, Rumfeldt.  
 Substitutions: Mars Hill: Gibbs for Albritton, Bruce for Furches. Catawba: Moore for Rhyn.  
 Score by quarters:  
 M.H.C. 6 0 0 6 - 12  
 Catawba 0 0 0 0 - 0

### Tennis Tournament Ends; Seniors Stars

The class tournament in tennis which has been running since September 25, is over. The entire tournament will long stand out in the minds of those who participated and also the spectators, as one of friendly rivalry and good nature on the part of the players. It is because there is an egotistical element in the natures of all boys and girls that is loathe to acknowledge defeat.

Be that as it may, the long-talked-of tournament has come and gone and its wake has left no trace of bitterness among the defeated. Such a spirit as is manifested by the students on occasions like this is truly a beautiful thing to see.

Those who proved equal to the test in the singles are: Helen Brown, C-II, winning over Jerry Mobely, C-I, and Bobby Briant, A-IV, capturing two sets out of three from each opponent. In the doubles the C-II team composed of Helen Brown and Ruth Singleton eliminated the C-I team composed of Ruby Reece and Jerry Mobeley and the A-IV team with Bobby Briant and Bernice Hutchins. The latter, although scheduled to play, failed to appear, and Jerry Mobley graciously substituted in her stead.

Among the boys the A-IV class copped honors in the singles matches, Ulysses Dale beating Ed Harrel of the C-II's and H. H. Welch of the C-I's two sets in three. Of the doubles the college seniors again won their monograms. Willie Egerton and Pelham Renfrow defeated H. H. Welch and Pralo Wood in a whirlwind finish.

This is not a bad record for either class in its first attempt, and it is to be hoped that these records will be bettered in the future.

### B. S. U. COUNCIL MAKES PLANS

Several members of the faculty with the B. S. U. council met in the Euthalian society hall Sunday, September 30, at 2:00 o'clock. After the devotional, which was conducted by D. L. Stewart, several important plans and encouraging reports were brought before the council. It is urgent that every student be in Sunday School and every Baptist bring his church letter to the college church.

The Y. W. A. is making rapid progress. Most of the girls are lining up in the work and proving themselves to be worth-while Christians.

Plans for the B. Y. P. U. courses are almost complete. Consecrated workers from this and other states will be here to teach the various study courses. These study courses have been carefully planned. The B. Y. P. U. leaders are doing their best to give Mars Hill students the best that there is, and it is indeed their duty to avail themselves of every opportunity offered them.

The faculty, presidents of Sunday School classes, and presidents of B. Y. P. U.'s met with the B. S. U. council to discuss and aid in making plans for the betterment of the Christian life on the campus.

Plans concerning the B. S. U. conference, which is to meet at Chowan College this year, were brought to the council. One of the aims of the B. S. U. is to have thirty delegates at this conference. Each student who comes to Mars Hill should have the opportunity of attending at least one of these conferences. He will gain much inspiration and get many valuable ideas to bring back to the campus and to treasure later in life.

A negro employee of the express company approached his boss with the query:

"Boss, wha' we gwine do bout dat billy-goat? He done et up whar he gwine."

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### EUTHALIANS RECEIVE GIFTS FROM NONS

New Members Initiated and Interesting Program Rendered.

The high spot of the meeting of the Euthalian Literary Society on Friday evening, October 4, was the presentation of gifts from the sister society, the Nonpareil. The gifts were a beautiful lamp shade and some glistening picture cords. The sisters should have seen the curiosity which greeted the presentation of the articles by the president; they would have no doubt of the appreciation!

The program for the evening was shortened, the debate being eliminated to give sufficient time to the initiation of new members into the society. The society was favored with a quartet from the old Mars Hill Quartet as an opening number for the evening. The society wishes to express to them the appreciation and enjoyment of their numbers. An oration by Nathan Brooks gave new insight into his native ability that many of the members did not know even existed. The oration dealt with education as he sees it today. F. M. Julian delivered a declamation which was also centered principally on education, one of his statements being that the university campus and not the training field, is the training camp of future generations. Fred Bose gave a surprising demonstration of one-hand ability at the piano. His right hand being lame and bandaged, he played entirely with the other. The piece was a pleasing selection from Strauss. Comics were given by Mr. Elmore.

### Charles W. Roper

In the Non-Eu Hall now hangs the venerable likeness of Charles W. Roper, a loved member and former president of the Euthalian Literary Society. The society expresses to Mrs. Howard its great appreciation for her splendid work given without charge, and to Mr. Stringfield for his valuable assistance. Those of the members who knew Uncle Charlie do not need a picture of him to perpetuate his memory, for it is written in their hearts; but there it shall hang for those who come after us. In the annals of the college they shall read of the superlative life of one of her most beloved sons, a brother, a friend. To know him was to love him. his death a victory. For it is said of his death a victory. For it is said of him that he accomplished more in death than in life. Surely he was a man whose ideals should be eternal inspiration for every Euthalian and for every Mars Hill student to live cleanly, loftily and more abundantly for Christ and his fellowmen.

Helen Brown: "I hear you are a great artist."

Bill Logan: "I hope so. I've only just started."

Helen: "What are you doing?"

Bill: "Well, I'm living in the studio and growing whiskers."

The largest life insurance policy ever sold was a group policy issued by the Metropolitan Insurance Company for \$400,000,000 to General Motors Company on the lives of 200,000 people.

### Purpose, Preparation Perseverance and Prayer, O'Hara Thers

In Chapel Thursday morning, October 4, Dr. O'Hara, superintendent of the mountain schools in nine southern states, spoke to the student body on four things that are essential to a successful life—purpose, preparation, perseverance, and prayer.

The substance of the address somewhat as follows: Before anything can be attained in life a definite purpose or plan must be in view. A life must conform to certain principles by which it can be developed in a way as to attain the purpose. Ideals which loom out in the future. But what is the purpose of having a plan for your life and not making preparation for it? Without the proper training or preparation a person cannot achieve what it would otherwise do.

Many purposes have been failed because purpose demanded preparation and perseverance lacking. The determination to do ahead no matter what the result will be to attain the purpose for your life is an essential not to be underestimated. With a purpose, preparation, and perseverance a life may occasionally be successful to a certain extent. There is another element that is perhaps the most essential of all—prayer. A life cannot be as successful as it would otherwise have been if prayer is left out. Daily guidance of God can mean more to a person in any phase of life than any other one thing.

### Mr. Elliott Addresses Scribleris Club

The Scribleris Club held its second meeting of the year in the Euthalian Society Hall Tuesday night, October 2, at seven o'clock. The meeting was called to order by the president. After the roll was called Mr. Elliott read a most interesting paper on "Plato's Idea of Poetry."

After quite a bit of discussion of the program, the club went into a short business session at which various committees were appointed and further plans for the year were discussed.

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